# **Building Capacity for Transformation:**New Hampshire's DSRIP Waiver Program

Independent Assessor Introduction
June 6, 2016



### **Agenda**

- Myers and Stauffer LC Who We Are
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## **Myers and Stauffer LC**

- Company organized in 1977
- Works exclusively with state/federal agencies operating public health care programs
- Active engagements in 48 states
- Staff of nearly 750 associates
- Offices in 17 locations



# Benefit / Program Integrity (BPI) Team

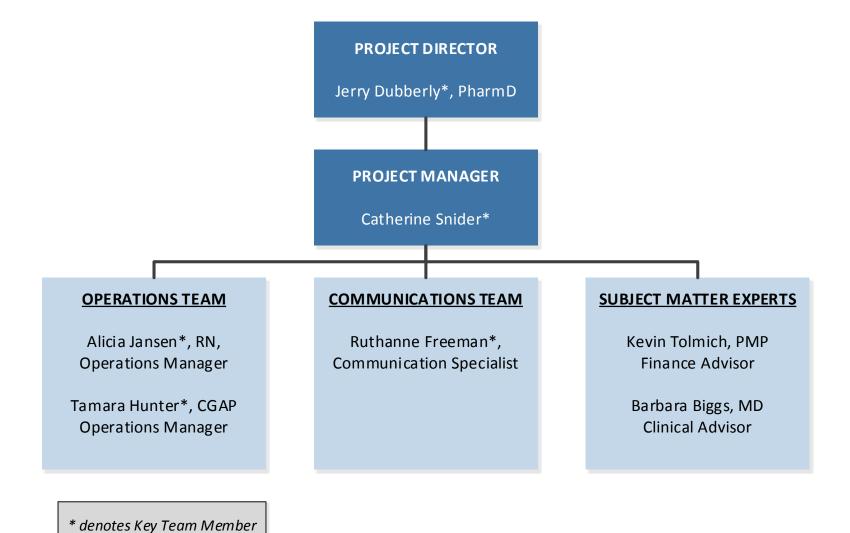
- Dedicated to health care transformation
  - Innovative service delivery models
  - Payment accountability
  - Improving quality and outcomes
  - Client-focused, integrated services
- Improving efficiency in care delivery
- Maximizing scarce public resources



#### Related Experience and Expertise

- Direct health care reform model experience
  - State Innovation Model (SIM)
  - Delivery System Reform Incentive Program (DSRIP)
  - Value-based payments (VBP)
- Stakeholder engagement
- Delivery system design
- Research, data analytics and evaluation
- Technical assistance







#### **Independent Assessor Responsibilities**

- Conduct an impartial review of all proposed Integrated Delivery Network (IDN) applications.
- Submit IDN application approval recommendations to the State including identifying weaknesses and gaps in applications.
- Conduct an impartial review of all proposed IDN project plans.
- Assemble an Independent Review Panel (IRP) to evaluate the project plan submission and review proceedings.
- Submit IDN Project Plan approval recommendations and IRP findings to the State.



IDN Application Submission IDN
Application
Review

IDN
Application
Write-back

Submit Application Review Findings to State



#### **IDN Application Review Process**

Each application will be reviewed for completeness and scored on the following:

- Qualifications and capabilities of the Administrative Lead.
- Composition and breadth of the proposed network.
- Comprehensive community and stakeholder engagement plan / process.
- Plan's understanding of regional behavioral health needs faced by Medicaid beneficiaries.
- Evaluation of the project plan development process.



# Timeline - Request for information – the "write-back" process

If during the review process, we find we require additional information or clarification:

- IDN Application Lead Primary Contacts will be emailed questions or a request for additional information.
- The applicant will be given three business days (due date will be included in the email) to answer the questions or provide additional requested documentation.
- If we still have questions, the applicant will be contacted and we will set up a time to discuss any remaining questions via a brief telephone call.

Please note – we anticipate the majority of the review and "write-back" process will take place during the weeks of 6/13/16 and 6/20/16.



#### **Contact Information**

- All communications from the Independent Assessor will be made through an email box specifically set up for the New Hampshire IDN project.
- All "write-back" emails will be sent from this email box.
- Any questions related to this process can be submitted to:

NHDSRIP@MSLC.COM



Questions?

